

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

**In re application of:** Gil Ben-Menachem et al.

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**For:** CHOLESTEROL-CONTAINING  
COMPOUNDS AND THEIR USE AS  
IMMUNOGENS AGAINST BORRELIA  
BURGDORFERI

**Examiner:** Sabiha Naim Qazi

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**RESPONSE TO COMMUNICATION DATED AUGUST 27, 2009**

This responds to the Communication dated August 27, 2009. A one-month period for reply was sent, making a response due September 27, 2009. Applicants request a two-month extension of time, and submit the required fee, making a reply due November 27, 2009. Please amend the referenced application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2.

**Remarks** begin on page 3.